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Labour and Industry Acts.

**DETERMINATION OF A WAGES BOARD ADJUSTED PURSUANT TO SECTION 33 OF THE
LABOUR AND INDUSTRY ACT 1953.**

I, Henry Norman Jones, Secretary for Labour and Industry, in pursuance of the powers conferred by the Labour and Industry Acts, hereby make and issue the following adjusted Determination of the Wages Board referred to hereunder showing adjusted rates and prices to operate from the beginning of the first pay period to commence in February, 1956.

Dated at Melbourne, this
23rd day of March, 1956.

H. N. JONES,
Secretary for Labour and Industry.

MILLET BROOM BOARD.

Clause 2 of the Determination published in *Government Gazette* No. 347 of the 17th June, 1955, shall be replaced by the following clause:—

(a) APPRENTICES OR IMPROVERS.								(b) Other Employees.	
Broom Section.			Feather Duster or Mop Sections.						
	Percent- age of Basic Wage.	Wages per Week of 40 Hours.	Males.			Females.			
				Percent- age of Basic Wage.	Wages per Week of 40 Hours.		Percent- age of Female Basic Wage.		
		<i>s. d.</i>			<i>s. d.</i>			<i>s. d.</i>	
1st Year	29	73 0	1st Year	29	73 0	1st Year	40	75 0	<p style="text-align: center;"><i>Broom Making.</i></p> <p>Head sorter (i.e., a man who takes charge of a bench and who does the principal parts or the whole of the sorting) 302 3</p> <p>Second sorter 297 3</p> <p>Maker or sewer 302 3</p> <p>Cutter off 292 9</p> <p>All others 278 9</p>
2nd Year	39	98 0	2nd Year	39	98 0	2nd Year	52	98 0	
3rd Year	44	110 6	3rd Year	44	110 6	3rd Year	58	109 0	
4th Year	62	155 6	4th Year	62	155 6	4th Year	68	128 0	
5th Year	74	185 6	5th Year	74	185 6	5th Year	79	148 6	
6th Year	94	236 0	6th Year	94	236 0	6th Year	94	176 6	
And thereafter the minimum wage.			And thereafter the minimum wage.			And thereafter the minimum wage.			

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<p>PROPORTION IN ANY FACTORY OR PLACE.</p> <p>APPRENTICES.</p> <p><i>Broom Section.</i></p> <p>One apprentice to every three or fraction of three workers receiving not less than 278s. 9d. per week of 40 hours, or the prescribed piecework prices.</p>	<p><i>Feather Duster Making.</i></p> <table style="width: 100%; border-collapse: collapse;"> <thead> <tr> <th colspan="2"></th> <th style="text-align: right;">Wages per Week of 40 Hours.</th> </tr> <tr> <th colspan="2"></th> <th style="text-align: right;">s. d.</th> </tr> </thead> <tbody> <tr> <td>Males</td> <td style="text-align: center;">.. ..</td> <td style="text-align: right;">278 9</td> </tr> <tr> <td>Females</td> <td style="text-align: center;">.. ..</td> <td style="text-align: right;">203 6</td> </tr> </tbody> </table>			Wages per Week of 40 Hours.			s. d.	Males	278 9	Females	203 6
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IMPROVERS.

Feather Duster Making Section.

Two male improvers to every worker receiving not less than 278s. 9d. per week of 40 hours.
 Two female improvers to every female worker receiving not less than 203s. 6d. per week of 40 hours.

IMPROVERS.

Mop Making Section.

Two male improvers to every worker receiving not less than 278s. 9d. per week of 40 hours.
 Two female improvers to every female worker receiving not less than 203s. 6d. per week of 40 hours.

Broom Section.

One improver to every three or fraction of three workers receiving not less than 278s. 9d. per week of 40 hours, or the prescribed piece-work prices.

Clauses, other than clause 2, of the said Determination shall remain in force provided that in clause 15 the amount of 164s. 9d. wherever appearing shall be increased to 180s. 9d.